(c) the details of steps taken to amend the existing laws and make provision for stringent action, to curb these incidents?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI SUMITRA MAHAJAN): (a) and (b) As per the National Crimes Record Bureau, the incidence of crime in the country for the last three years relating to child rape, kidnapping and abduction, procuration of minor girls, selling/buying of girls for prostitution, abetment of suicide, exposure and abandonment, infanticide, foeticide and under Child Marriage Restraint Act shows a declining trend as indicated below;

1998	-	5882
1999	-	4957(-15.9%)
2000	-	4949 (-02%)

Figures for 2000 are provisional.

(c) The Department of Women and Child Development, Government of India has initiated action to amend the Immoral Traffic (Prevention) Act, 1956. The National Commission for Women was requested to conduct country-wjde consultations to suggest amendments in the Immoral Traffic (Prevention) Act, 1956 to make it more stringent and effective. The recommendations made by the Commission have been considered and consolidated by the Government after consultation with the States. The main thrust of the proposed amendments is to make the Act more stringent on traffickers and place greater criminal culpability on them.

The Law Commission of India has also made certain recommendations in its 172nd Report on the issue of child protection from sexual abuse, etc., categorised as:

—giving a broader definition for the word "Rape" to include various types of sexual assault.

—making punishments much more stringent especially for persons in positions of trust who indulge in child sexual abuse. This would effectively cover cases of non-commercial child abuse.

Decline in results of KVs in Jaipur Region

† 233. SHRI MUNAVVAR HASAN: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

(a) whether it is a fact that a few Kendriya Vidyalayas of Jaipur region have shown a steep downfall in the annual, domestic and local results in 2000-2001;

(b) if so, whether it has made a record or any other Kendriya Vidyalaya has shown even lower percentage of results;

(c) whether any disciplinary action has been initiated/is likely to be initiated by the Sangathan/Govemment against the principals responsible for the lapse;

(d) if so, the details of Vidyalaya-wise disciplinary action taken including Kendriya Vidyalaya, Nazeerabad, if not, the rationale therefor; and

(e) whether the Principal has been held responsible for such decline; if so, the outcome thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT [DR. (SHRIMATI) RITA VERMA]: (a) and (b) The details of the results of the Kendriya Vidyalayas in Jaipur Region showing less than 70% in CBSE exams of Classes X & XII in last two years are given below which do not reflect any alarming decline excepting few aberrations:-

CLASS-X

SI.	Name of KV	% Result 2001	% Result 2000
I.	No. 1 Bikaner	68.16	5934
2.	No. 2 Bikaner	69.12	71.93
3.	Chum	36.67	65.52
4.	No. 1 AFS Suratgarh	5735	64.18
5.	Lalgarh Jatan	65.00	5926
6.	Naseerabad	64.65	63.83
7.	Beawar	66.67	81.48
8.	Zawar Mines Udaipur	5422	61.54
9.	Bharatpur	68.60	65.06

CLASS XII

SI. No.	Name of KV	% Result 2001	% Result 2000
1.	Avikanagar	66.70	67 50
2.	Lalgarh Jatan	60.00	-
3.	Naseerabad	69.50	85.42
4.	Eklingarh	63.60	94.74

However, the details of the Annual exams held at School levels for various classes excepting X and XII Grades are not maintained at Head quarters.

(c) to (e) The concerned Principals are issued letters of displeasure for the poor results by the concerned Assistant Commissioner of the region.

Kendriya Vidyalaya Vikas Nidhi in Bhopal Region

234. SHRIMATI VANGA GEETHA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of amount collected in each of the Kendriya Vidyalayas of Bhopal region, in the name of Vidyalayas Vikas Nidhi, during the last three years;

(b) the details of heads/ items under/on which these amounts have been spent, Vidyalaya-wise;

(c) whether these receipts and expenditures have been subjected to audit byCAG;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT PR. (SHRIMATI) RITA VERMA]: (a) and (b) Details of amount collected and details of amount spent Vidyalaya-wise and head-wise/item-wise in each Kendriya Vidyalaya of Bhopal Region under Vidyalayas Vikas Nidhi is not maintained centrally.

(c) to (e) The Accounts of Vidyalayas Vikas Nidhi are subject to audit by